

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

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FOR: DISPOSABLE BODY FLUIDS ABSORBENT ARTICLE

Enclosed are:

- [X] 16 pages of specification, claims, abstract Declaration & Power of Attorney
- [X] **Priority Claimed**
- Certified copy of
- 5 sheets of formal drawing [X]
- An assignment of the invention to and the assignment recordation fee
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